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## WHEN INDICATIONS.

FOR FRIDAY--Fair weather; in Tennessee valley partly cloudy weather, followed by local rains; in the Ohio valley slightly warmer and southerly winds, shifting westerly in the western portion.

Extensive preparations are being made at our Factory for the Spring and Summer Trade, and when the season opens we will be in the lead regarding variety, quality and prices, at the

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This morning we place on sale a number of broken lots of Pants, worth \$2 and \$2.50, for

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We are showing a very large line of Light and Dark-colored Spring Overcoats at prices ranging from \$5 to \$25.

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## THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Resignations, "Like Angel Visits, Few and Far Between"--Quick Promoters are Slow Performers.

The White House a Busy Scene--Streams of Callers All Day--Teller Gets in His Work.

## AN UNFULFILLED PROMISE.

Several Interesting Items from the Capital.

Special to the Sentinel.

WASHINGTON, March 5.--Representative Matson called early this morning at the Postoffice Department to see if the resignation of Postmaster Langdale, of Greencastle, had been received. To his astonishment it had not yet arrived. It will be remembered that during the recent campaign Postmaster Langdale rushed frantically into print and declared if Cleveland and Hendricks were elected he would resign. He has not yet made good his promise. Matson says he intends to recommend the appointment of Willis G. Neff. Matson will not return to his home, at Greencastle, till about the 1st of April.

State Senator Bell and wife, of Fort Wayne, are guests of General Thomas J. Brady.

John McGee and wife will not return to their home at Bloomington until some time next week.

Dr. F. A. Schell is a candidate for the Postmastership at Spencer, and A. P. Pounds and John Messier have the same desire.

Robert Towle is an applicant for Postmaster at Danville.

A sharp contest for the Postmastership at Indianapolis is taking place between Aquila Jones, George Geiger and Cass Ryfield.

A very delightful reception to Indianians was tendered by Senator and Mrs. Voorhees to-night. All the Hoosiers in the city, numbering more than 200, paid their respects to the genial and distinguished Senator and his popular wife.

Vice President Hendricks' Private Secretary.

Special to the Sentinel.

WASHINGTON, March 5.--Hughes Kut was today appointed and sworn in as Private Secretary to Vice President Hendricks. Soon afterwards Mr. Hendricks received the following letter:

Hon. Thomas A. Hendricks, Vice President of the United States:

DEAR SIR--Allow us, as citizens of Greencastle, Indiana, now in Washington, to congratulate you upon the appointment of our former honored fellow-citizen, Hughes Kut, Esq., as your trusted Private Secretary. We believe it to be an honor to our county, as well as a deserving compliment to a true and unflinching friend, who is fitted, by nature and education, so well for the official duties which will devolve upon him.

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DAN R. HATFIELD,  
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## THE WHITE HOUSE.

The President has a busy day, receiving numerous callers--Every One Received from 9 to 4.

WASHINGTON, March 5.--The White House presented a busy scene to-day. A stream of callers poured into the mansion from the hour the door opened until late in the day. The President had an early breakfast, and then completed the organization of his Cabinet and directed their names to be sent to the Senate.

A number of organizations visited the White House before noon, and were received by the President in the East room. Prominent among them were the Sam. J. Raper Club, the American Club and Young Men's Democratic Club, all of Philadelphia; the Kings County Club, of Brooklyn, and a delegation from the County Democracy of New York. The Justices of the United States Supreme Court, headed by Chief Justice Waite, called about 12, and were received in the blue parlor. The members of the National Democratic Committee were next received, and many other prominent persons called to pay their respects and keep the President engaged the entire day.

No changes have yet been made in the force of employees at the White House, except that Colonel Daniel S. Lamont occupies the office of Private Secretary to the President, instead of Fred J. Phillips, who of course retires with Mr. Arthur. The President's mail to-day was very large. It consisted principally of letters of congratulations; many of them, however, related to appointments.

Subsequently the Democratic Phoenix of Albany called on the President in a boy. They were followed by detachments of clubs from Ohio, New York, New Jersey, Maryland, Kansas, Missouri and elsewhere. The President then gave notice he would receive all who might choose to come between 2 and 4 o'clock, and during that time thousands of strangers paid their respects to the Chief Magistrate. The President received them in the East room and shook hands with all. It was found necessary to dispense with the formality of introductions. The President, however, recognized many acquaintances in the line and greeted them by name. There was a large number of colored people among the visitors. The President bore the trying ordeal well, and treated each person with a pleasant, small and hearty grasp of the hand. Visiting military and civic organizations, which had not previously called in a body, were well represented. Governor Pattison, of Pennsylvania, and staff were prominent among the visitors. All the members of Ex-President Arthur's Cabinet, with the exception of Secretaries Frelinghuysen and Teller, occupied their usual desks and attended to all business requiring action at their hands.

Secretary Frelinghuysen was detained at home by ill-health, and Secretary Teller

(whose resignation as Secretary of the Interior was accepted yesterday) was at the Capitol. Those on duty received many callers, and took occasion during the day to take official leave of the bureau offices and other employees.

## NATIONAL NOTES.

Cleveland's Cabinet--Secretary Teller's Last Official Act--Other Interesting Items.

WASHINGTON, March 5.--President Cleveland sent to the Senate the following nominations: Secretary of State, Thomas F. Bayard, of Delaware; Secretary of the Treasury, Daniel Manning, of New York; Secretary of War, William C. Endicott, of Massachusetts; Secretary of the Navy, William G. Whitney, of New York; Secretary of the Interior, L. C. Lamar, of Mississippi; Postmaster General, William F. Vilas, of Wisconsin; Attorney General, A. H. Garland, of Arkansas.

One of the last acts of Secretary Teller was to issue patents for lands in Louisiana, granted to aid in the construction of the New Orleans and Pacific Railroad. These lands, embracing about 700,000 acres, are comprised in what is commonly known as the "backbone grant."

It was an interesting day at the White House to-day. Cleveland, his brother, sisters, nieces and other relatives spent the night there, and breakfasted early. There was little change in the appearance of the house, except that Arthur's personal effects and private property had disappeared. LaPorte occupied the desk used by Private Secretary Phillips since J. Stanley Brown vacated it more than three years ago.

One of President Cleveland's first acts in connection with his official household was to retain O. L. Pruett as assistant to Private Secretary LaPorte. Pruett was appointed by General Grant as the bearer of Presidential communications to either House of Congress, and during so many administrations has become a familiar figure to all who are connected in any way with the affairs of the Capital. His retention is heartily commended by members of both parties and by representatives of the press.

One of the last official acts of Speaker Carlisle was the appointment of Messrs. Holman, Hatch of Missouri, Peel, Cannon and Ross as a committee to investigate the Legislative Appropriation bill to investigate the expenditure of the appropriation for Indian schools, and the administration of the laws relative to Yellowstone Park.

To-day in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, March 5.--The Senate was called to order at 12 o'clock. The galleries were packed with strangers. Mr. Allison, Chairman of the committee appointed to wait upon the President, reported that the President desired the committee to state that he would communicate with the Senate in writing.

The nominations for the Cabinet were received.

On motion of Mr. Sherman, the Senate went into executive session on the nominations.

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city, met to-day and appointed a committee of fifty on public safety. This is in effect making the temporary organization permanent.

## SENTINEL SPECIALS.

Celebrating the Inaugural.

Special to the Sentinel.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 5.--One hundred guns were fired here yesterday at 12 o'clock in honor of the inauguration of Cleveland and Hendricks, and at night an impromptu meeting of ladies and gentlemen was held at the Court-house. After music by the band, L. D. Rogers, Chairman of the Democratic Central Committee, was called upon to preside, and L. S. Field was chosen Secretary. A large number of Democrats were present to celebrate the occasion. The greatest enthusiasm prevailed, and the recent political corpse, the G. O. P., was resurrected from its grave and held up to eager listeners by Hon. J. R. East, R. A. Fulk, J. E. Williams and the chairman. Republican presenters were asked to participate in the exercises, when Messrs. Mason and Pitt, late Republican orators, confessed their faith in Cleveland as a conservative, good man, and thought he would make an excellent President. The meeting adjourned till March 4, 1889, when a similar meeting is to be held. The Doxology was sung and everybody went home feeling that a better day had come for the American people.

New Court-House for Greene County--Gone to Washington.

Special to the Sentinel.

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., March 5.--The Board of Commissioners of this (Greene) county on last Monday adopted plans and specifications for a new court-house to be erected at this place. Mr. G. W. Bunting, of your city, furnished the plans, etc., and is appointed architect. Yesterday the Board of Commissioners ordered the Auditor to issue notice that bids would be received from contractors for the erection of said building. The building is estimated to cost from \$10,000 to \$15,000. Our people consider this a suitable time to build, as material and labor are very cheap.

Daniel B. Hatfield, Esq., our next Postmaster, William M. Mow, Esq., editor of the Bloomfield Democrat, and Dr. H. V. Norrell, Democratic Central Committeeman for the Second Congressional District, have gone to Washington City to be present at the inauguration of Cleveland.

Seymour Items.

SEYMOUR, March 5.--Hibner's orchestra of this city played for the inauguration ball at North Vernon last night.

The report sent to the Enquirer to the effect that the O. and M. Co. party are going to erect a round-house here soon is wholly untrue. They have not intended to do so, nor do they now.

The inauguration hop given by the Brown House Ball Club at the Opera-house last night was a magnificent affair and grand success in every way. The attendance was very large and better order could not have been maintained. The affair was opened at 9 o'clock, by the grand march which was very impressive and imposing. The ball adjourned at 11 o'clock. The club and its managers deserve great praise for the taste displayed on the occasion.

Major John J. Cummins, of Shields, who has been sick for some time, became speechless yesterday and is sinking rapidly and his death may be looked for at any time.

Rushville Notes.

RUSHVILLE, Ind., March 5.--A Miss Kimble, sister-in-law to Dr. Welliver, of this place, fell while skating at the Boyd rink to-day and broke an arm.

The new Hoosier Skating rink at Fairmount, this county, was dedicated last night by an immense inauguration ball. Fully 100 couples tripped the light fantastic toe and everything went off to the entire satisfaction of both those who participated and the general manager.

Sentenced to State's Prison.

Special to the Sentinel.

VERNON, Ind., March 5.--Thomas Hamilton, Perry Smith and George Sherman were today sentenced to the State's Prison by the Court. Hamilton, one year; Smith, two years, and Sherman, three years. Hamilton and Smith were convicted of horse stealing, and Sherman of stealing a gold watch and chain of the value of \$110, of Mrs. Lattimore, of Hardenburg. They all deserve their punishment.

Rikakets.

Special to the Sentinel.

COLUMBUS, Ind., March 5.--Mrs. Ida Shields had the misfortune to fall and break both bones of her right arm below the elbow last night in a skating rink. Another young lady fell and seriously injured one of her arms. Miss Hallie Watson fell a few weeks ago, at one of the rinks, and has been unable to walk a step since.

Wants a Divorce.

Special to the Sentinel.

SHIRLEYVILLE, Ind., March 5.--Rachel Lee, wife of Theodore Lee, a well-known farmer living near this city, filed a suit for divorce to-day, alleging the most cruel and inhuman treatment on his part, which at one time, several years ago, produced a miscarriage and almost caused her death.

Cass Democrats Celebrate.

Special to the Sentinel.

LOGANSPOUT, Ind., March 5.--The Democrats of this city last night celebrated the event of Cleveland's inauguration with a mass meeting at the Court-house. A number of able speeches were made by prominent Democrats.

Candidates for Garland's Vacant Seat.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., March 5.--The Senate bill changing the name of Dorsey County to Cleveland County passed the House to-day and awaits the Governor's signature.

Senator Garland's selection for Attorney General brings into the field as avowed candidates before the Legislature for the vacancy ex-Governor Berry, Congressman Dunn, General Robert C. Newton, W. M. Fishback and Mayor J. J. Horner.

## TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Not Cancer but Epithelioma Is the Disease from Which General Grant Suffers--His Condition.

Wage Reduction and Strikes on the Wabash and Texas Pacific Railways.

## GENERAL GRANT.

The Account of His Disease Heretofore Published Greatly Exaggerated.

NEW YORK, March 5.--The Medical Record, heretofore quoted in these dispatches in connection with the accounts of the condition of General Grant, will on Saturday contain the following article:

In view of the recent developments in General Grant's case, the Medical Record, of two weeks ago, so largely quoted by the press of the country, requires some explanation. It is fair to state that the facts at the time presented by the Medical Record were founded on the best authority, that of Dr. Fordyce Barker, the attending physician of General Grant, and his explanation is manifest in the following note:

24 EAST TWENTY EIGHTH STREET.

The statement which I made to you was literally true at the time I made it, and I am certain Dr. Douglas would then have made precisely the same. I saw Dr. Douglas last evening, and he then said what I had told you was exactly what he would have said at the time. But on Monday, after I saw you, the action of Congress had a most depressing effect on General Grant. His vital powers suddenly broke down, and the local condition of the disease assumed a new aspect. The newspaper accounts had been greatly exaggerated, and we have never anticipated any such speedy termination as they have indicated. I do not believe Dr. Douglas ever used the word cancer in connection with the case. We have always spoken of it as epithelioma of a malignant type. Probably it was greatly improved for the time by the local treatment of Dr. Douglas, and the local condition was manifestly improving until the moral strain broke down his general system.

Ever faithfully,

FORDYCE BARKER.

Wednesday Noon, March 4, 1885.

It is a matter of deep regret that the grave suspicion entertained of the serious nature of General Grant's disease, are confirmed by a diagnosis of the epithelioma of the tongue. This disease, we name which now is perhaps heard of by the general public for the first time, assumes importance as to the study which it could never otherwise obtain. Consequently the daily papers are educating the people with regard to it. The terms of epithelioma, malignancy, and infiltration will be as well understood as in former times were those of suppuration, pus-sack and bullet-syde. As might have been induced under the circumstances, the publisher reports of the General's condition were very much exaggerated. The disease is by no means as extensive as generally believed. In fact the ulcerations, small in extent, are limited to the right pillars of the fauces anterior, one being perforated at the base. The adjoining right side shows a tendency toward cell perforation. The epithelioma is free from any abnormality, as are all other parts of the throat.

Although the induration of the tongue has existed more or less since last fall, when the patient was first seen by Dr. Douglas, the ulcerations have appeared quite recently. It was during their progress that the General suffered from pain in the right ear, which has now been entirely relieved by the local application of four per cent. of the so-called cocaine. Under the same treatment all pain in deglutition has been entirely overcome, and the patient has been kept in a very comfortable state. The pulse, which is normally sixty per minute, occasionally reaches eighty beats. The body temperature is normal. The appetite fair, which is saying everything in its favor, as the General is not a hearty eater. The treatment of the case has been judiciously conservative from first. The fluid diet of cereals, semolina, broths, soups and idioform, is dated upon the ulcerations. Contrary to the general impression, the tongue itself is not ulcerated, nor has it been, so far as we can learn, at any time during the progress of the disease. The trouble, however, said to have been extracted for the relief of the lingual ulceration, was on the opposite or sound side of the mouth, and was removed to relieve the persistent ache of the left ear.

Dr. Douglas said last night: "General Grant has had a red letter day for his health. He has eaten heartily, been out riding, and seems considerably improved. The condition of his throat is no better, however, and the progress of the disease has not been checked."

General Grant's condition is much improved to-day. He passed a good night.

## THE WABASH WAGE REDUCTION.

General Manager Talmage Denies the Road Has Receded from the Reduction.

ST. LOUIS, March 5.--Colonel Talmage, General Manager of the Wabash Railroad, contradicts the report that the demands of the striking machinists, at Chicago, had been acceded to. He says the men have resumed work but at the reduction made by the officers of the company. He also denies that 250 men are out at Springfield, Ill., and says that over 200 men have been at work in the shops there all the time.

The Strike Spreading.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., March 5.--At noon to-day 100 men employed in the Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific Railroad shops, of this city, struck against the recent reduction of 10 per cent. in wages, and are holding a meeting this afternoon to organize a plan of action. Representatives from Moberly Mo., and Springfield, Ill., have been here the past two days agitating the subject, held a meeting last night, when it was determined to strike at noon to-day. Only a few carpenters are yet working, and it is expected they will join the strike to-night.

The New Men Leave.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 5.--Not more than a dozen skilled workmen are at work here in the Wabash shops to-day. The men now at work are fresh. The strikers had a meeting to-night and determined to stay out until

their demands are acceded to. Men were brought here from Detroit, Mich., to work in the shops, but upon finding out the situation of affairs went back.

The Strike at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 5.--About fifty employees of the Wabash shops, of this city, went out this afternoon. They laid their grievances before the foreman of the shop, and were told they could go, as their places could be readily filled.

## THE TEXAS PACIFIC STRIKE.

All Freight Trains Stopped at Fort Worth, But the Passenger Trains Not Interfered With.

FORT WORTH, March 5.--At 7 o'clock this morning the men employed in the Texas Pacific and Missouri Pacific Railroad shops quit work. All switch and freight engines in the yard were killed, and to-night sixteen dead engines are around the round-house.

This morning all the east bound freight trains were side tracked in the yards and the engines taken to the round-house and killed. No freight trains will be allowed to pass through the yards. The passenger trains will not be molested. The strikers are in groups discussing the situation, but are orderly. About 300 loaded and empty cars stand motionless on the track. A train of California fruit, bound East, and a number of cattle trains, are among the detained freight. This evening the strikers received news that several freight trains from the North would arrive. They assembled at the north end of the yards, intending to side track the trains and kill the engines. The trains were intercepted by wire and turned back towards Denison. The strikers are holding a meeting to-night, to determine what further steps to take to bring the company to terms.

## All the Engines Run Across Red River.

DENISON, Tex., March 5.--At noon to-day the Missouri Pacific Company moved all their engines at this point across Red River, into the Indian Territory, for safety. It is understood that the entire force of employees in the machine shops will refuse to return to work to-morrow, at a request from the strikers at other points in Texas. There are 500 cars of freight here awaiting forwarding. Everything is quiet. A special train from Longview says the strikers to-day rescinded the resolution to stop the passenger trains, but there is much talk of stopping the passengers to-morrow. The yards are full of freight awaiting shipment. A few section men agreed to the terms of the company to-day and returned to work. At Marshall a Citizens' Committee waited on Superintendent Cummings, who said he could guarantee full time if the men would return at the reduction rates as there was plenty of work. At a meeting to-night Mr. Cummings guarantees was refused. At Sherman the employees of the Texas Pacific were this afternoon notified that they were suspended indefinitely. This suspension works a hardship, as the Sherman employees were willing to accept the reduction. It is rumored that the company has determined to only run the mail coaches until the strike is over.

Exciting Scenes in the Illinois Senatorial Struggle.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., March 5.--At 12 m., the Senate was announced and the joint convention began. Forty-nine Senators and 145 Representatives were present.

The Republicans voted as follows: Logan, 69; Washburn, 1. Sitting voting for Washburn. Acting Speaker Kimbrough then announced the Joint Assembly adjourned, whereupon the Republicans objected, claiming that he had no authority.

The Republicans, led by Mr. Fuller, raised pandemonium for a time, and the doorkeepers were called upon to clear the House.

Finally the Senate withdrew and also the Republican members of the House to the Senate Chamber, where an adjournment was made till to-morrow at 12 m. Before all members of the House got out, the Speaker ordered the doors closed.

Deputy Sheriff Shot.

MARQUETTE, Mich., March 5.--John Kohl, Deputy Sheriff, was fatally shot in Negaunee at 8:30 this evening. He was trying to arrest Pat Benan, a disreputable character, who flourished a revolver on the street in a careless manner, when Benan turned and fired two shots at Kohl. The first shot took effect under his arm and the second in his chest. Benan escaped, but a posse is being organized to capture him. Kohl is bleeding internally, and very little hope is entertained of his recovery.

A Steamer's Boiler Explodes.

WILMINGTON, N. C., March 5.--The boiler of the steamer Wave exploded this afternoon. The boat is a complete wreck. Neal Jessup and Kitty Harvey, colored, were blown into the river and drowned. Perry Cotton, the colored pilot, and Dave McPherson were badly scalded. Several other employees were slightly injured. The boat was valued at \$10,000.

## CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

Ex-President Arthur was yesterday elected an honorary member of the New York Chamber of Commerce.

At New Orleans, yesterday, seven prisoners escaped from the parish prison. The crimes of the convicts range from murder to petty swindling.

Charles A. King, teller of the Orleans County (New York) National Bank, attempted suicide yesterday. The cause is attributed to overwork and sickness in his family.

On Wednesday morning, at Monroe, Union County, North Carolina, masked men overpowered the jailer and took out Lee Statton, a negro, and hanged him. Statton was charged with rape.

## INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, March 6--1 a. m.

For the Ohio and Tennessee Valley--Fair weather in Tennessee, partly cloudy weather, followed by local rains in the Ohio valley; slightly warmer, southerly winds, shifting to westerly in the western portion.

For the Upper Lake Region--Partly cloudy weather, local snows, generally warmer, southerly winds, becoming variable.